

Explanatory Footnotes

- 1/ Trade Account = Exports - Imports. Parentheses indicate negative value.
- 2/ Hardwood and softwood breakdowns are not available before 1989. Both are included as softwood chips prior to 1989.
- 3/ Prior to 1981, this category includes fiberboard with a density equal to or greater than 31 pounds/ft³. Beginning with 1989, this category includes fiberboard with a density exceeding 0.8 g/cm³.
- 4/ This category was added in 1989 and includes fiberboard with a density exceeding 0.5 g/cm³ but not exceeding 0.8 g/cm³.
- 5/ Prior to 1989, data for this category includes laminated boards and fiberboard with a density less than 31 pounds/ft³.
- 6/ Miscellaneous wood products include wood waste, pulpwood, building components, containers, and woodenware. Due to the removal of code 9705.00.00090, this category may not agree with prior publications, thus affecting total value of U.S. exports.
- 7/ The Pacific Rim is defined as the following:
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| China | Hong Kong | Japan |
| South Korea | Taiwan | |
- 8/ North America is defined as the following countries:
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| Canada | Mexico | Greenland |
| St. Pierre and Miquelan | | |
- 9/ The European Union is defined as the following countries:
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| Austria | Belgium-Luxembourg | Denmark |
| Finland | France | Germany |
| Greece | Ireland | Italy |
| Netherlands | Portugal | Spain |
| Sweden | Trieste | United Kingdom |
- 10/ The Caribbean is defined as the following countries:
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| Bahamas | Barbados | Cayman Islands |
| Cuba | Dominican Republic | French West Indies |
| Haiti | Jamaica | Leeward-Inward Islands |
| Netherland Antilles | Puerto Rico | Trinidad and Tobago |
| Turks and Caicos Isl. | U.S. Virgin Islands | |
- 11/ Oceania is defined as the following countries:
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| American Samoa | Australia | British Pacific Islands |
| British West Pacific Isl. | Canton and Enderbury | French Pacific Islands |
| Guam | Marshall Islands | Micronesia, Fed. States |
| Midway Islands | New Zealand | Northern Mariana Isl. |
| Other Pacific Isl., NEC | Pacific Islands | Palau |
| Papua New Guinea | Trust Territory of the Pacific | |
| U.S. Outlying Islands | Wake Island | Western Samoa |
- 12/ The Middle East is defined as the following countries:
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| Arabian Peninsula States, NEC | | Bahrain |
| Gaza Strip | Iran | Iraq |
| Israel | Jordan | Kuwait |
| Lebanon | | |

Explanatory Footnotes Continued

	Oman Syria Yemen	Qatar Turkey	Saudi Arabia United Arab Emirates
13/	Non-EU Europe is defined as the following countries:		
	Austria Gibraltar Norway	Azores Iceland Switzerland	Cyprus Malta
14/	South America is defined as the following countries:		
	Brazil Ecuador Guyana Surinam	Chile Falkland Islands Paraguay Uruguay	Colombia French Guiana Peru Venezuela
15/	Central America is defined as the following countries:		
	Belize Guatemala Panama	Costa Rica Honduras	El Salvador Nicaragua
16/	North Africa is defined as the following countries:		
	Algeria Morocco	Egypt Tunisia	Libya
17/	Eastern Europe is defined as the following countries:		
	Albania Croatia Macedonia (Skopje) Slovakia	Bosnia-Herzegovina Czech Republic Poland Slovenia	Bulgaria Hungary Romania Yugoslavia (>5/92)
18/	Due to significant changes in the 1996 and 1997 Harmonized System for commodity classification, trade for a number of commodities was under-reported in the April 1997 Statistical Annual edition of this circular. This table reflects the actual value of trade.		